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2006.

Signed: Marcy H. Mancuso/ Mancy & M. Mancus

#### PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b)

Sir:

1. The owner of the above-identified application hereby petitions the United States Patent and Trademark Office under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b) to allow the owner to prosecute the above-identified application where neither a declaration nor an oath has been executed by the inventors.

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- 2. The required fee of \$200.00 for the present Petition is attached hereto (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.47(b), 1.17(g)). No additional fee is believed to be required for entry of the present Petition in the record of the above-identified application. However, if any additional fee is required, the USPTO is authorized and requested to charge any and all such fees to the Deposit Account No. 08-2461.
- 3. The above-identified application is the U.S. national phase application of the International Application No. PCT/GB2003/005459 (the "PCT Application", International Publication No. WO 2004/056242 A1). A copy of International Publication No. WO 2004/056242 A1 (cover page only) is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 4. The PCT Application is owned by Cadbury Confectionery Limited ("Cadbury"). This is indicated by the identification of Cadbury as the "Applicant" in International Publication No. WO 2004/056242 A1 (see Exhibit 1) and the above-identified application being the U.S. national phase application thereof.
- 5. Cadbury is represented by Marks & Clerk for the PCT Application. This is indicated by the identification of Marks & Clerk as the "Agent" in International Publication No. WO 2004/056242 A1 (see Exhibit 1).

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- 6. Marks & Clerk requested that Hoffmann & Baron, LLP file the above-identified application in the USPTO. This is indicated by the letter from Marks & Clerk to Hoffmann & Baron, LLP dated June 10, 2005. A copy of this letter is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.
  - 7. I am employed by Hoffmann & Baron, LLP.
- 8. Hoffmann & Baron, LLP received a Notification of Missing Requirements dated October 17, 2005 from the USPTO. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements is attached hereto as Exhibit 3. The Notification of Missing Requirements requires that a Declaration executed by the inventors be submitted to the USPTO. A response to the Notification of Missing Requirements is being filed in the USPTO on the same date as the filing of the present Petition in the USPTO.

#### Diligent Effort to Obtain Execution of Declaration by Inventors (37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b))

9. On November 2, 2005, a letter was sent by Hoffmann & Baron, LLP to Marks & Clerk regarding the Notification of Missing Requirements for the above-referenced application. The letter informed Marks & Clerk of the requirement of a Declaration. The letter indicates that enclosed therewith were copies of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment. The letter is referenced in the Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 3, attached hereto as Exhibit 4.

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- 10. On March 23, 2006, I sent an email to Ms. Colleen Kramer of Cadbury regarding the Notification of Missing Requirements for the above-referenced application. Attached to the email were copies of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment (see Exhibit 4, Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 4).
- 11. On April 5, 2006, an email was received from Ms. Kramer indicating that she had attempted, without success, to locate the inventors. The email contains a request that Hoffmann & Baron, LLP contact the inventors (see Exhibit 4, Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 5).
- 12. On April 10, 2006, letters were sent by the office of Hoffmann & Baron, LLP to the persons who I understand to be the inventors of the above-identified application (see Exhibit 4, Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 6). I understand the inventors of the above-identified application to be the same as the inventors identified in the PCT application (see Exhibit 1). These inventors are Messrs. Darryn Ross, Rod Stuart, and Andrew Bissett. Enclosed with each letter was a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment for the above-identified application.

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- 13. On or shortly before April 20, 2006, Ms. Marcy H. Mancuso located addresses and phone numbers for the persons who I understand to be the inventors of the above-identified application. This is referenced in the Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 2, attached hereto as Exhibit 5.
- 14. On April 20, 2006, Ms. Mancuso telephoned Messrs. Ross and Bissett. Ms. Mancuso was not able to speak directly to Messrs. Ross and Bissett. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 2.)
- 15. On April 21, 2006, Ms. Mancuso sent an email to Mr. Bissett regarding the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. This email requests the immediate attention of Mr. Bissett to the documents. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 3.)
- 16. On April 21, 2006, Ms. Mancuso sent a letter to Mr. Ross regarding the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. This letter requests the immediate attention of Mr. Ross to the documents. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 3.)

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- 17. On April 20, 2006, Ms. Mancuso spoke directly to Mr. Stuart by telephone. Mr. Stuart indicated that he had not received the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. Mr. Stuart indicated that he had a "new street address" and provided it to Ms. Mancuso. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 2.)
- 18. On April 21, 2006, Ms. Mancuso sent a letter to Mr. Stuart regarding the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. This letter requests the immediate attention of Mr. Stuart to the documents. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 5.)
- 19. On April 30, 2006, I received an email from Mr. Stuart which was directed to Ms. Mancuso. In the email, Mr. Stuart stated that he had not received a package from Hoffmann & Baron, LLP. The email contains an address which is the same as the address previously provided by Mr. Stuart. (see Exhibit 4, Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 7; Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 6.)
- 20. On May 3, 2006, Ms. Mancuso sent an email to Mr. Stuart regarding the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. This email indicates that Ms. Mancuso would send copies of the documents to Mr. Stuart at his

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new address. (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 7.) Pursuant thereto, Ms. Mancuso sent the documents to the new address (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 8).

21. I have not received either the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, or Assignment executed by any of Messrs. Ross, Stuart, and Bissett (see Exhibit 4, Declaration of Gordon F. Belcher, paragraph 9). I believe that Hoffmann & Baron, LLP has not received either the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, or Assignment executed by any of Messrs. Ross, Stuart, and Bissett since I would have received such documents.

#### Proprietary interest in application (37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b))

- 22. Cadbury has a proprietary interest in the above-identified application by virtue of the ownership thereof by Cadbury. This is indicated by the identification of Cadbury as the "Applicant" in the PCT Application (see Exhibit 1) and the above-identified application being the U.S. national phase application thereof.
- 23. The ownership of the above-identified application by Cadbury is further indicated by the Letters Patent No. 523377 of New Zealand (the "New Zealand Patent") upon which the PCT Application is based. A copy of the New Zealand Patent is attached hereto as Exhibit 6.

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24. The New Zealand Patent is identified in the "Priority Data" of the PCT Application (see Exhibit 1). The New Zealand Patent states that Cadbury "is entitled to be registered as the proprietor of the patent hereinafter granted" (see Exhibit 6).

- 25. The ownership of the above-identified application by Cadbury entitles Cadbury to prosecute the above-identified application.
- 26. A statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73 will be submitted to the USPTO as soon as possible.

#### Declaration, Inventors Addresses, Preservation of Cadbury's Rights (37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b))

- 27. The Declaration required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b) executed by a person authorized to act on behalf of Cadbury will be submitted to the USPTO as soon as possible.
- 28. Following are addresses of the inventors which were obtained on or shortly before April 20, 2006 (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 2):

Mr. Darryn Ross 9 Klondyke Drive Hornby Christchurch, New Zealand

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Mr. Rod Stuart 33 Buchan Street Christchurch, New Zealand

Mr. Andrew Bissett P.O. Box 37671 Parnell Auckland, New Zealand

This address of Mr. Stuart is believed to be the current address thereof based on a telephone conference between him and Ms. Mancuso (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 3). These addresses of Messrs. Ross and Bissett are believed to likely be the current addresses thereof because of the availability of the addresses on the internet on or shortly before April 20, 2006 (see Exhibit 5, Declaration of Marcy H. Mancuso, paragraph 3). Additional addresses of Messrs. Ross and Bissett are contained in the "Inventors" of the PCT Application (see Exhibit 1).

29. Preservation of the rights of Cadbury in the above-identified application requires the granting of the present Petition. If the present Petition is not granted, then the above-identified application will become abandoned since an extension of time beyond May 17, 2006 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is not available.

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30. The USPTO is requested to direct any questions or comments relating to the above-identified application to Mr. Gordon F. Belcher at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

Gordon F. Belike

Gordon F. Belcher

Registration No.: 33,156 Attorney for Applicants

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#### (12) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PUBLISHED UNDER THE PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT)

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(72) Inventors; and

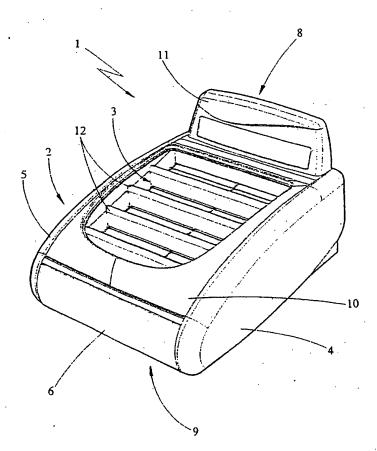
(75) Inventors/Applicants (for US only): ROSS, Darryn

[NZ/NZ]; 9 Klondyke Drive, Christchurch (NZ). STU-ART, Rod [NZ/NZ]; 168 Cumnor Terrace, Christchurch (NZ). BISSETT, Andrew [NZ/NZ]; 18b/125 The Strand, Parnell, Auckland (NZ).

- (74) Agent: WARD, David, I.; Marks & Clerk, Alpha Tower, Suffolk Street Queensway, Birmingham B1 ITT (GB).
- (81) Designated States (national): AE, AG, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BW, BY, BZ, CA, CH, CN, CO, CR, CU, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DZ, EC, EE, EG, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MZ, NI, NO, OM, PG, PH, PL, PT, RO, RU, SC, SD, SE, SG, SK, SL, SY, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VC, VN, YU, ZA, ZM, ZW.
- (84) Designated States (regional): ARIPO patent (BW, GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, MZ, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW), Eurasian patent (AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM), European patent (AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE,

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(54) Title: CHILLER UNIT



(57) Abstract: The invention provides an open topped refrigeration unit (1) which includes an outer case (2) having internal walls (4,5,6,7) and a base panel (19) defining an internal compartment (3), a refrigerated air generator (449, a duct (46), and a skirt (10). The duct (46) directs chilled air generated by the refrigerated air generator (44) around the internal compartment (3) and the skirt (10) is adapted to frame the open top of the internal compartment (3) and to direct the chilled air flow into the internal compartment (3).

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FAO Daniel A. Scola, Jr Hoffmann & Baron, LLP 1055 Parsippany Boulevard Parsippany, NJ 07054 USA Our Ref: W072513PUS

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10 June 2005

Dear Daniel

re: Chapter I Phase Processing in USA PCT Application No. GB2003/005459 filed 15 December 2003

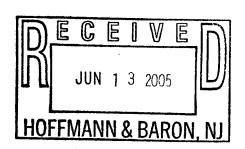
In accordance with the enclosed standard instruction letter, I would be grateful if you could take this case into the US national phase.

For the purposes of an IDS, in addition to the international search report (enclosed), we are also aware of US 4,106,305 which was cited against the corresponding New Zealand case.

Yours sincerely

David I. Ward (MARKS & CLERK)

Encl: instruction letter



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09 June 2005

#### **DUE DATE: 20 JUNE 2005**

**Dear Sirs** 

Please proceed with Chapter I Phase Processing in **USA** of PCT Application No. GB2003/005459 filed 15 December 2003 with the information given below: -

Term: Maximum

APPLICANT	Cadbury Confectionery Ltd of 494 Rosebank Road, Avondale, Auckland, New Zealand	
INVENTORS	ROSS, Darryn of 9 Klondyke Drive, Christchurch, New Zealand	
Nationality	New Zealand	
	STUART, Rod of 168 Cumnor Terrace, Christchurch, New Zealand	
Nationality	New Zealand	
	BISSETT, Andrew of 18b/125 The Strand, Parnell, Auckland, New Zealand	
Nationality	New Zealand	

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Search Report	x				
Citations	x				
Assignment		x			
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REMARK

We shall not require you to pay continuance fees as they will be paid by Computer Patent Annuities, CPA House, Seaton Place, St Helier, Jersey.

#### Please send us:

Two copies of the specification and filing receipt.

Debit note in duplicate made out and sent to Marks & Clerk, Birmingham quoting the above mentioned reference.

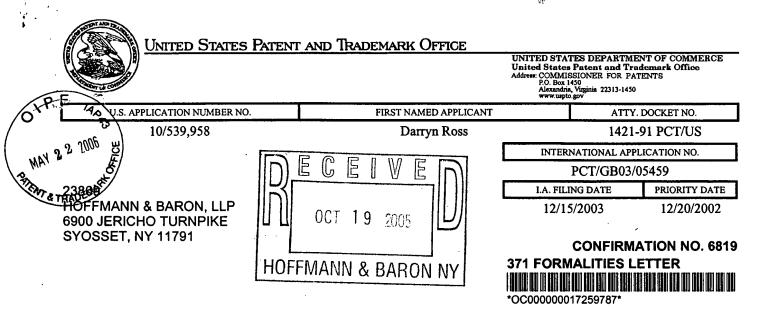
Please order two copies of any domestic citations and forward one copy to us.

THIS APPAICATION MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO LAPSE WITHOUT OUR SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS.

PLEASE FAX ACKNOWLEDGEMENT UPON RECEIPT.

Yours aithfully

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Date Mailed: 10/17/2005

## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/17/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/17/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/17/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/17/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/17/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/17/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 06/17/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 06/17/2005
- Specification filed on 06/17/2005
- Claims filed on 06/17/2005
- Abstracts filed on 06/17/2005
- Drawings filed on 06/17/2005



The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application
  by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
  or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the
  missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

**VONDA M WALLACE** 

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#### PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

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#### **DECLARATION BY GORDON F. BELCHER**

Sir:

- I, Gordon F. Belcher, hereby declare that:
- 1. I am registered to practice before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
- 2. I am employed by the law firm of Hoffmann & Baron, LLP. Pursuant to this employment, I have provided services related to the above-identified application.

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- 3. On November 2, 2005, a letter was sent by Hoffmann & Baron, LLP to Marks & Clerk regarding the Notification of Missing Requirements for the above-identified application. Copies of the letter and the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment identified as enclosures in the letter are attached hereto as Exhibit A. Other enclosures identified in the letter are not attached hereto. Included in Exhibit A is a copy of a Transmission Result Report which indicates that the letter was transmitted by facsimile.
- 4. On March 23, 2006, I sent an email to Ms. Colleen Kramer of Cadbury regarding the Notification of Missing Requirements for the above-identified application. Copies of this email and the attachments identified therein are attached hereto as Exhibit B.
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Exhibits D, E, and F are attached hereto with the corresponding letter in Exhibits D, E, and F.

Copies of documents containing tracking information which appears to indicate that the letters of Exhibits D, E, and F were delivered are attached hereto with the corresponding letter in Exhibits D, E, and F.

- 7. I received an email from Mr. Stuart dated April 30, 2006. A copy of this email is attached hereto as Exhibit G. The email of Exhibit G indicates that the letter of Exhibit E was not received.
- 8. I have not received either the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, or the Assignment executed by any of Messrs. Ross, Stuart, and Bissett.
- 9. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

May 17, 2006

Gordon F. Belcher Reg. No. 33,156

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November 2, 2005 Via Facsimile and Air Mail

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Re:

U.S. National Phase Patent Application No. 10/539,958

"Chiller Unit"

PCT Application No. GB2003/005459 filed 15 December 2003

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Dear Mr. Ward:

Thank you for your letter of September 9, 2005 inquiring about the filing receipt for the above-referenced application. We have not received the filing receipt from the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO). We expect to receive it shortly.

We have received a notification issued by the USPTO for the above-referenced application, a copy of which is enclosed. The notification requires us to file formal papers for the application with the USPTO by December 17, 2005. Enclosed are the formal papers ("Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney" and "Assignment") prepared for the inventors' signatures. Please have the inventors review and execute the formal papers. The formal papers are directed to the patent application (published PCT Application and Preliminary Amendment), as filed in the USPTO, copies of which are enclosed.

Please note that the inventors may sign separate copies of the formal papers. Also, it is preferable for the Assignment to be notarized, though such notarization is not required. Please return to us the signed formal papers. You may return to us copies of the formal papers via facsimile for submission to the USPTO, although we recommend that you also return to us the copies of the formal papers with the original signatures for our file.

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If there are any questions or comments, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Gordon F. Belcher

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	As a below named inventor, I hereby declare the	at:	
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NOTE:	If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims an the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.	explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time	
	My residence, post office address and citizenship	o are as stated below next to my name.	
joint inv	I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor ventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subjection entitled:	(if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and ect matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought	
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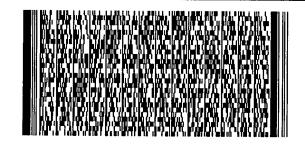
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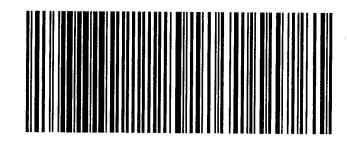
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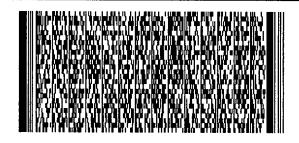
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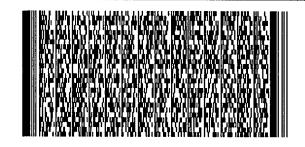
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Sir:

- I, Marcy H. Mancuso, hereby declare that:
- 1. I am employed by the law firm of Hoffmann & Baron, LLP. Pursuant to this employment, I have provided services related to the above-identified application.
- 2. On or shortly before April 20, 2006, I located, using the internet, addresses and telephone numbers for Messrs. Darryn Ross, Rod Stuart, and Andrew Bissett. The addresses which I located are contained in an email which I sent to Mr. Gordon F. Belcher on April 20, 2006. A copy of the email is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

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3. On April 20, 2006, I attempted to contact by telephone Messrs. Ross, Stuart, and

Bissett. The telephone numbers which I used for this attempt are contained in Exhibit A. I was

unable to reach Mr. Ross. I was able to reach Mr. Stuart. Mr. Stuart provided an address which

he said was his current address. I was able to leave a voicemail message for Mr. Bissett. (see

Exhibit A.)

4. On April 21, 2006, I sent a letter to Mr. Ross regarding documents relating to the

above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. A copy of the letter is

attached hereto as Exhibit B. Included in Exhibit B is a copy of a Transmission Result Report

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5. On April 21, 2006, I sent an email to Mr. Bissett regarding documents relating to

the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. A copy of the email is

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- 7. I understand that Mr. Gordon F. Belcher received an email from Mr. Stuart dated April 30, 2006 which was addressed to me. A copy of the email is attached hereto as Exhibit E. The email of Exhibit E indicates that Mr. Stuart had not received a package from Hoffmann & Baron, LLP. The email of Exhibit E contains an address which is the same as the address previously provided by Mr. Stuart (see Exhibit A).
- 8. On May 3, 2006, I sent an email to Mr. Stuart regarding the documents relating to the above-identified application which had been previously sent to him. A copy of the e-mail is attached hereto as Exhibit F.
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To:

Belcher, Gordon F.

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'colleen.kramer@cs-americas.com'

Subject:

Inventor information found for 1421-91 PCT/US (Client ref: WO72513PUS)

RE:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/539,958

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Client Ref: WO72513PUS Our Ref: 1421-91 PCT/US

Mr. Belcher,

As you know, I managed to find contact information yesterday for the 3 inventors in this case. This is what I found for each inventor:

#### **Darryn Ross**

Listed as a corporate manufacturer for Airform International Ltd. in the web site <a href="www.plastics.org.nz/trade-corporate-manufacturers.asp">www.plastics.org.nz/trade-corporate-manufacturers.asp</a>

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#### **Andrew Bissett**

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#### Rod Stuart

Listed in the Worldwide section of the website for Kryotherm, <a href="www.kryotherm.ru/ww.html">www.kryotherm.ru/ww.html</a> Under the header of New Zealand and Tropicool, his information is listed as:

P.O. Box 1827 (sounds like this is still valid)

168 Cumnor Terrace (old address)

Christchurch, New Zealand Phone: +64 3 381-2066 Fax: +64 3 381-2067 Email: info@tropicool.co.nz

Note that his new street address is 33 Buchan Street, Christchurch, New Zealand

I attempted to call them this morning, although I knew I wouldn't have much luck, considering the great time difference between here and New Zealand. The phone just rang for Darryn Ross, I was able to leave a phone message for Andrew Bissett, and I spoke in person with Rod Stuart. He said that the address listed in our records and on the internet is out of date, and gave me his new residential address. He has not seen the package that was sent to his older address.

I would propose resending the documents to Rod Stuart at his new address, since it sounds like it may not have been forwarded from his old address. I could send messages by fax and/or e-mail to the other 2 inventors. Please let me know if this is what you would like to do.

Thanks, Marcy Docket No.: 1421-91 PCT/US DATE: April 21, 2006

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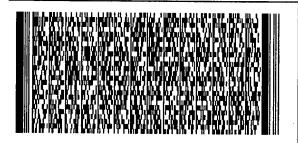
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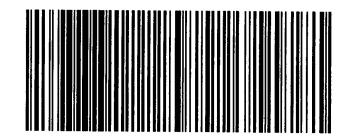
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